

# Juan Angel Chávez

## Selected Solo Exhibitions

- 2009** "Dragging the leash", Linda Warren Gallery, Chicago, Ill  
**2008** "Speaker Project" Mass Art, Boston
- 2007** "Spanish Castle," Bucket Rider Gallery, Chicago  
"Spider Project," Education entrance Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago.  
"Speaker Project," Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago. Catalogue  
"Hilo," 32 and Urban Gallery Chicago
- 2004** "Juan Angel Chávez," Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Open studio Program, Chicago  
"Juan Angel Chávez," Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Mort Cooper windows, Chicago
- 2003** "Juan Angel Chávez," 12X12, Museum of Contemporary Art, Chicago
- 1998** "11 Years in Concrete," Elmhurst Collage, Elmhurst Illinois

## Selected Group Exhibition

- 2011** "The North Wind South" Diverse Works, Houston TX  
"Open studio" Krannert Art Museum, Champaign Urbana, Ill
- 2010** "Free Size" Sinudom Silk Screen Factory, Bangkok, Thailand  
"Group Show", Walnut Ink Gallery, Michigan City, IN  
"Well Put Together II", Thomas McCormick Gallery, Chicago, Illinois  
"Contemporary Collage", Northeastern Illinois University Fine Arts Center Gallery  
"BETTER TO DIE ON MY FEET", Self Help Graphics & Art, Los Angeles CA
- 2009** "3 X 3" Herron of School of Art and Design, Indianapolis, IN  
"CLOSE ENCOUNTERS" Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago, Ill
- 2008** "THE INVISIBLE HAND", Durant Art Institute, Lake Forest, Illinois  
"Sign Language", Unit B Gallery & UTSA gallery, San Antonio TX
- 2006** "It's a Long Walk Home." SPACE 1026, Philadelphia  
"The African Presence In Mexico: From Yanga To The Present," National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago. Traveled. Catalogue  
"The Love Station," Pursuit Gallery, Burlington, Vermont
- 2005** "Junta," Scion Installation, Los Angeles, California. Catalogue  
"Tragic Beauty," Open End Space, Chicago
- 2002** "Xicago," National Museum of Mexican Art, Chicago  
"Prestar=Borrow+Lend," Hyde Park Art Center, Chicago
- 2000** "Site-Works," Group exhibit, 312 Gallery

## Private Commissions

- 2005** Jestes, Karuna, found materials, wall divider, Chicago
- 2004** "Untitled," collage, Uprise Skateboard Shop. Chicago
- 2000-02** "Whipple Home Mosaics," Mosaics, historical landmark home. Lake Forest, Illinois.

## Teaching Experience

- 2004-present** School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Sculpture Department  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago, First Year Program Faculty

## Panels and Lectures

- 2006-07** Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, Chicago Public Art Committee, Arts Representative  
**2005** Artist Connects, lecture series, The Art Institute of Chicago  
**2000** Artist Creating Places: Artist, Communities, and Public Art, at University of Illinois at Chicago. Showcasing examples of many media and styles that have been used in community and artist collaboration.  
Urban Art Chicago, Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs. On the direction of public art  
Community Arts Assistance Program, grant panelist  
Elmhurst College, Lecture on personal work.

## Bibliography

- 2008** Cate McQuaid, "Sound and vision", Home / A&E /Theater/Arts, The Boston Globe (October 24, 2008)  
**2007** Gastman, Roger; Neelon, Caleb; and Smyrski, Anthony. Street World: Urban Art and Culture from Five Continents. New York: Harry N. Abrams, and London: Thames & Hudson.  
Hawkins, Margaret. "Chavez Brings on the Noise with the Speaker Project,"Chicago Sun-Times (June 8).  
"Profile: Juan Angel Chávez," Juxtapoz Art & Culture Magazine 14, no. 74 ( San Francisco, March).  
**2005** Huebner, Jeff. "One Man's Ceiling Is Another Man's Artwork."Chicago Reader (April 29)  
**2000** "Watching: An Artist's View,"Chicago Sun-Times (January 1)  
**1999** Koslowski, Carl. "Art Sponsors View Shape of Things To Come,"Chicago Tribune (December 15).  
"Random Walk: Picturing the Future, One Little Tile at a Time,"(September 27).

## Awards and Funding

- 2008** Artadia, Individual Artist Award, NY,NY  
3ARTS, Individual Artist Award, Chicago  
**2007** Louis Comfort Tiffany Award, NY, NY  
Special Projects Grant, Richard Driehaus Foundation, Chicago  
Special Assistance Grant, Illinois Arts Council, Chicago  
**2005** CAAP Grant, The Department of Cultural Affairs of the City of Chicago  
**2001** The Richard H. Driehaus Individual Artist Award, The Richard H. Driehaus foundation, Chicago  
**1998** Neighborhood Arts Program (NAP), From the Department Of Cultural Affairs of the City of Chicago.